

**CITY OF LODI  
INFORMAL INFORMATIONAL MEETING  
"SHIRTSLEEVE" SESSION  
CARNEGIE FORUM, 305 WEST PINE STREET  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2002**

An Informal Informational Meeting ("Shirtsleeve" Session) of the Lodi City Council was held Tuesday, November 12, 2002 commencing at 7:05 a.m.

**A. ROLL CALL**

Present: Council Members – Hitchcock, Howard, and Mayor Pennino

Absent: Council Members – Land and Nakanishi

Also Present: City Manager Flynn, City Attorney Hays, and City Clerk Blackston

**B. CITY COUNCIL CALENDAR UPDATE**

City Clerk Blackston reviewed the weekly calendar (filed).

**C. TOPIC(S)**

C-1 "Overview and tour of new joint Police/Fire Mobile Operations Center"

Police Chief Adams reported that staff began looking at options for a mobile command post in 1999. After a great deal of research, Universal Specialty Vehicles from Riverside was selected. Construction began in April 2002 and the 38 foot mobile command post fifth wheel trailer was delivered last week. State technology grant funds in the amount of \$175,000 were used to purchase the trailer and equipment. It has a three room design with areas for command, communications, and hostage negotiations. The trailer has hydraulic slide outs, a 12.5 diesel generator, custom interior, restroom, telephone system, telular wireless, data ports for computers, radio systems, thermal imaging equipment, network television, VCR systems in each room, custom design for monitoring of hostage negotiation situations, and exterior graphics depicting the partnership between the Police and Fire Departments.

Fire Chief Pretz stated that the Fire Department purchased the tow vehicle and equipment for \$48,500. It is a 1998 freight liner with 88,000 miles, 26,000 gross vehicle weight, six speed manual transmission, 150 inch wheel base, with a 200 horsepower diesel engine.

NOTE: At 7:20 a.m. the City Council toured the Police/Fire Mobile Operations Center at Fire Station #1, 210 W. Elm Street.

**D. COMMENTS BY THE PUBLIC ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS**

None.

**E. ADJOURNMENT**

No action was taken by the City Council. The meeting was adjourned at 7:50 a.m.

ATTEST:

Susan J. Blackston  
City Clerk

## Mayor's & Council Member's Weekly Calendar

### WEEK OF NOVEMBER 12, 2002

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#### Tuesday, November 12, 2002

- Reminder                Shirtsleeve Session  
                              1. 2003 - 05 Budget Overview(FIN)
- 6:00 p.m.                **Pennino and Howard.** Leadership Lodi 2002 Graduation Dinner and Alumni Reunion sponsored by the Lodi Chamber of Commerce, 1050 Elkhorn Drive, Stockton.

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#### Wednesday, November 13, 2002

- 7:00 a.m.                Business 4 Breakfast, Wine and Roses Ballroom, Lodi.
- 11:00 – 1:00 p.m.      November Concilio Coalition Meeting, Salem Methodist Church, 345 East Elm Street, Lodi.

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#### Thursday, November 14, 2002

- 9:00 – 11:00 a.m.      **Pennino and Howard.** Open House celebration of the new Social Security Office Administration building, 2122 West Kettleman Lane, Lodi.
- 3:30 p.m.                **Pennino.** Tour of Carnegie Forum for Boys Scout Troop.
- 6:00 p.m.                **Pennino and Howard.** The Lodi District Grape Growers and California Association of Winegrape Growers reception and dinner, Wine and Roses Inn, Lodi.

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#### Friday, November 15, 2002

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#### Saturday, November 16, 2002

- 5:30 – 11:00 p.m.      **Pennino, Hitchcock, and Nakanishi.** Boys & Girls Club Auction Dinner, Carnegie Forum.
- 6:00 – midnight      The Lodi Professional Firefighter Ball, Hutchins Street Square Kirst Hall, Lodi. Cocktails begin at 6:00 p.m. and dancing will start at 7:00 p.m.

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#### Sunday, November 17, 2002

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#### Monday, November 18, 2002

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